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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

The present Election of Species is filed in response to the Election Requirement mailed February 5, 2008. The deadline for responding to the outstanding Election Requirement is March 5, 2008. Applicant thus submits that the present response, submitted February 11, 2008, is timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.